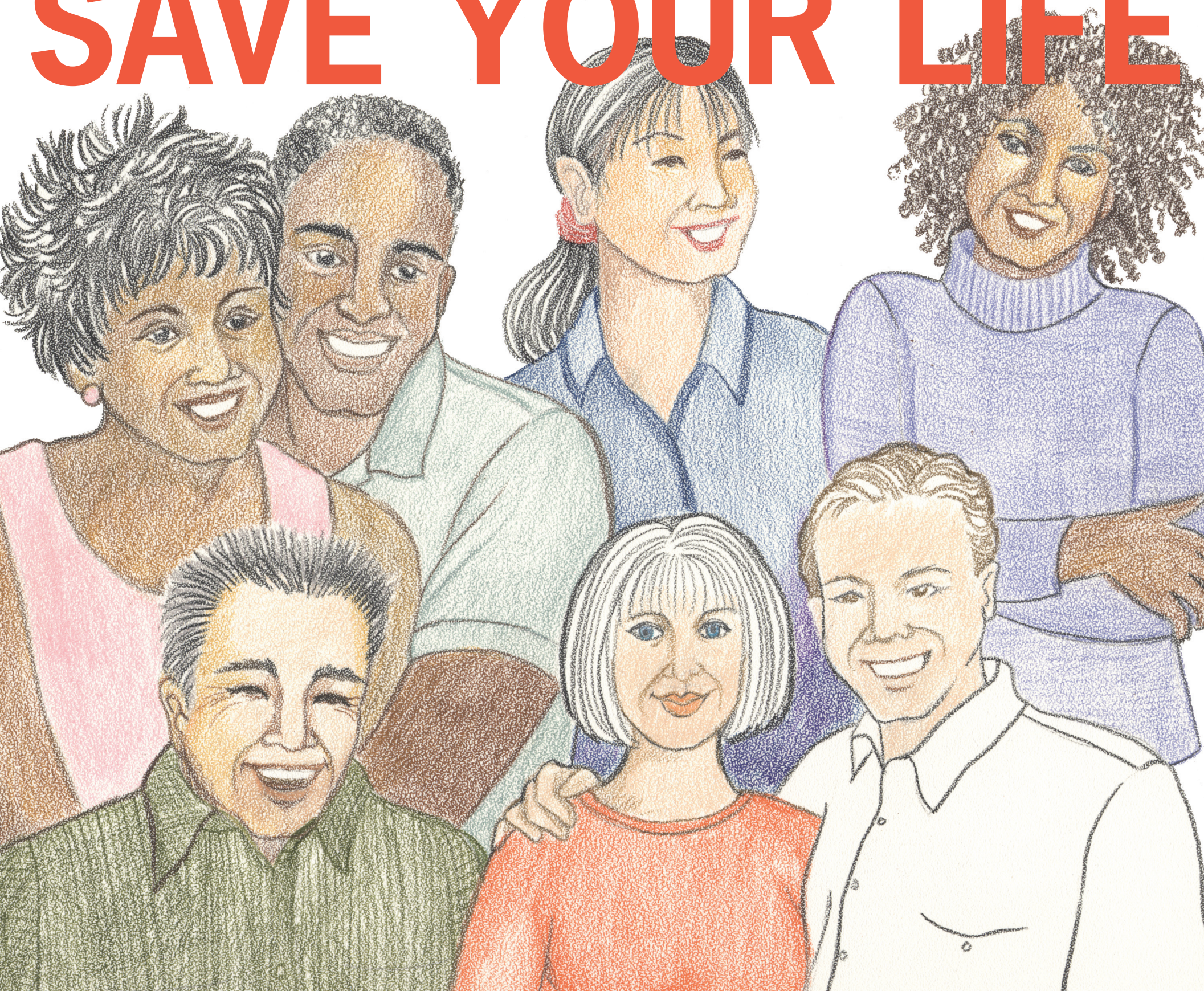


A Colon Health Screening Can **SAVE YOUR LIFE**



If you're age 50 or older, it's time to be screened.

- Every year around 3,000 Washington residents are diagnosed with colorectal cancer.
- Colorectal cancer starts with a growth, also called a polyp, that is not cancer.
- Colon health screening can find and remove growths before they develop into cancer.
- Find out if you have family history of colorectal cancer. If so, you may need screening before age 50.
- Talk with your health care provider about screening. Together you can decide what's right for you.
- Tell those you care about to get screened.

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